

IN THE CLAIMS

Claim 1 (**currently amended**). An antistatic pressure-sensitive adhesive tape of multilayer construction comprising a carrier layer, ~~at least one a first~~ pressure-sensitive adhesive layer, and ~~at least one a first~~ electrically conductive primer layer between the carrier layer and said at least one pressure-sensitive adhesive layer, wherein the first pressure-sensitive adhesive layer is free of electrically conductive particles.

Claim 2 (**currently amended**). The antistatic pressure-sensitive adhesive tape of claim 1, wherein the first electrically conductive primer layer comprises electrically conductive particles.

Claim 3 (**currently amended**). The antistatic pressure-sensitive adhesive tape of claim 1, wherein the first electrically conductive primer layer comprises homogeneously distributed electrically conductive materials.

Claim 4 (**currently amended**). The antistatic pressure-sensitive adhesive tape of ~~claim 12~~ claim 12, wherein said electrically conductive materials are electrically conductive polymers and said electrically conductive polymers are electrically conductive conjugated polymers.

Claim 5 (**currently amended**). The antistatic pressure-sensitive adhesive tape of claim 1, wherein the first pressure-sensitive adhesive layer comprises a polyacrylate pressure-sensitive adhesive.

Claim 6 (**currently amended**). The antistatic pressure-sensitive adhesive tape of claim 1, wherein the first pressure-sensitive adhesive layer exhibits a shrinkback.

Claim 7 (canceled).

Claim 8 (currently amended). The antistatic pressure-sensitive adhesive tape of claim 1, further comprising ~~the following multilayer construction:~~

~~pressure-sensitive adhesive layer/electrically conductive primer layer/carrier layer/electrically conductive primer layer/pressure sensitive adhesive layer~~

a second pressure-sensitive adhesive layer connected to the carrier layer;
and

a second electrically conductive primer layer between the second pressure-sensitive adhesive layer and the carrier layer.

Claim 9 (currently amended). The antistatic pressure-sensitive adhesive tape of claim 1, further comprising ~~the following multilayer construction:~~

~~pressure-sensitive adhesive layer/electrically conductive primer layer/carrier layer/pressure sensitive adhesive layer~~

a second pressure-sensitive adhesive layer connected to the carrier layer
such that the carrier layer is located between the first pressure-sensitive adhesive layer and the second pressure-sensitive adhesive layer.

Claim 10 (previously presented). The antistatic pressure-sensitive adhesive tape of claim 1 in the form of a punched product.

Claim 11 (previously presented). The antistatic pressure-sensitive adhesive tape of claim 2, wherein said electrically conductive particles are particles of a material selected from the group consisting of metal, electrically doped materials and electrically conductive polymers.

Claim 12 (previously presented). The antistatic pressure-sensitive adhesive tape of claim 3, wherein said homogeneously distributed electrically conductive materials are selected from the group consisting of electrically doped materials, electrically conductive polymers and electrically conductive organic salts, and are present in an amount of 5% to 60% by weight of the electrically conductive primer layer.

Claim 13 (previously presented). The antistatic pressure-sensitive adhesive tape of claim 12, wherein said electrically conductive materials are present in an amount of 10% to 50% by weight.

Claim 14 (**currently amended**). The antistatic pressure-sensitive adhesive tape of claim 4, wherein said electrically conductive conjugated polymers are **3,4-PEDT 3,4-polyethylenedioxythiophene**.

Claim 15 (previously presented). The antistatic pressure-sensitive adhesive tape of claim 5, wherein said polyacrylate is a polymethacrylate.